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SUBJ: BURDENSHARING: BILATERAL APPROACH TO TURKEY

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1. ON MAY 14, WE APPROACHED AKCER (ASST DIRGEN INT'L SECURITY AFFAIRS, MFA) FOR ASSISTANCE IN PROVIDING NATO ECONOMIC DIRECTORATE WITH BREAKDOWN OF TURKISH PROCUREMENT FIGURES. AKCER, WHO WAS ALREADY AWARE OF PROBLEM, PROMISED THAT TURKEY WOULD COOPERATE TO FULLEST EXTENT POSSIBLE. HE EXPLAINED THAT TURKEY HAD HAD STATISTICAL PROBLEMS RESULTING FROM ANTIQUATED METHODS. THIS WAS WHY TURKEY HAD CUSTOMARILY BEEN TWO YEARS BEHIND IN NATO DPQ SUBMISSIONS, AND THIS WAS ALSO RESPONSIBLE FOR DIFFICULTIES THAT HAD NOW ARISEN IN BURDENSHARING EXERCISE. TGS WAS IN PROCESS OF COMPUTERIZING, AND SITUATION WOULD IMPROVE. MEANTIME, TURKEY WOULD DO BEST TO PROVIDE MORE DETAILS AT CURRENT STAGE OF BURDENSHARING STUDY.

2. WE SUGGESTED TO AKCER THAT IN REFINING FIGURES FOR NATO, PARTICULAR ATTENTION BE PAID TO FACT THAT CREDIT SALES BECOME A BOP FACTOR ONLY AS REPAYMENTS ARE MADE. WE DID NOT
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DIRECTORATE EXPERTS.

3. IN COURSE OF CONVERSATION, AKCER REMARKED THAT IT WAS HIS UNDERSTANDING LATEST OFFSET AGREEMENT WITH GERMANY HAD GONE FURTHER THAN EXPECTED TOWARD RESOLVING JACKSON-NUNN PROBLEM AND THAT RELATIVELY LITTLE MORE WAS NEEDED FROM OTHER NATO COUNTRIES.
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